STATE OF HAWAII DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL 3949 DIAMOND HEAD ROAD HONOLULU, HAWAII 96816-4495

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

SEALED BIDS for furnishing labor, materials, tools and equipment for "Remove old HVAC System and replace with new Energy Efficient A/C System, Bldg 1, Trp Cmd, Pearl City, State of Hawaii, Department of Defense, Hawaii Army National Guard, Job No. CA-1236" will be received in the Engineering Office, Department of Defense, State of Hawaii, located in Building 306-A, Room 228, 3949 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, Hawaii, up to 2:00 P.M. on August 15, 2012 and will then and there be publicly opened and read aloud. Proposals may also be mailed to Department of Defense, State of Hawaii, 3949 Diamond Head Road, Honolulu, HI, 96816-4495, ATTN: HIENG, Room 228. Bids received after the time and date fixed for opening will not be considered.

Proposed work consists of, but not limited to the following: removal of existing HVAC equipment, installation of complete split systems to include incidental work.

The estimated cost is between \$300,000 and \$400,000.

A Site Visit will be held on July 24, 2012 at 9:00am. Contractors are to meet Mr. Edardo Mendoza in the parking lot by the center building (Bldg #001) at 96-1210 Waihona Street, Pearl City prior to 9:00am. Contractors are required to call Mr. Mendoza at 808-733-8441 before 4:30 pm on July 23, 2012 to register for the site visit. If no answer, please leave your company information, attendees names and a contact number, you may assume that you are registered for the site visit. All interested bidders and subcontractors are welcome, but not required to attend.

All requests for clarification of bidding documents and/or specifications must be received in the office listed above, in writing, prior to 4:30 PM on July 25, 2012. Questions shall be faxed to 808-733-4235 Attn: Cathy.

Bona fide bidders may obtain copies of applicable specifications and bidding documents at the above-named office. Neighbor Island bidders may call 808-733-4041 to have a copy of the specifications and bidding documents mailed to them. If prospective bidders obtain copies of the bid proposal from sources other than the Contracting and Engineering Office, then bidders are responsible to register by sending their company name, address, telephone and facsimile number, and email address via facsimile at 808-733-4235.

This project falls under the requirement of the "Buy American Act".

The Hawaii Products preference pursuant to ACT 175, SLH 2009 may be applicable for numerous items throughout this solicitation. Persons wishing to certify and qualify a product not currently listed as a Hawaii Product shall submit a Certification for Hawaii Product Preference (form SPO-38) by fax to: Department of Defense, Engineering Office, ATTN: Cathy Siu, fax #808-733-4235 or by e-mail to csiu@dod.hawaii.gov prior to 4:30pm 15 days prior to the bid opening date for this project. View the current Hawaii Products List on the State Procurement office (SPO) website at http://hawaii.gov/spo, click on "Procurement of Goods, Services and Construction-Chapter 103D, HRS", under "Procurement", click on "Preferences", "Hawaii Products" and select "Hawaii Products List".

For each product, one form shall be completed and submitted (i.e. 3 products should have 3 separate forms completed). The form is available on the SPO webpage at http://hawaii.gov/spo under

the "Quicklinks" menu, click on "Forms for Vendors, Contractors, and Services Providers" to view and complete form SPO-38 online.

Late submittals for this solicitation will not be reviewed by this agency.

An Intent to Bid is NOT required to be submitted for this project.

Bidders are required to register on the new Hawaii Compliance Express web site for all tax clearances by going to http://vendors.ehawaii.gov and registering there.

Bidders are responsible for checking for any addenda for this project. The addenda will be posted on the State Procurement Office web site under the project name at:

http://hawaii.gov/spo

REQUIREMENT FOR CONTRACTORS LICENSING CLASSIFICATIONS

Due to the nature of the work contemplated bidder must possess a valid State of Hawaii Contractor's license in the appropriate classification.

General Engineering Contractors holding an 'A' license and General Building Contractors holding a 'B' license are reminded that due to the Hawaii Supreme Court's January 28, 2002 decision in Okada Trucking Co., Ltd. v. Board of Water Supply, et al., 97 Haw. 450 (2002), they are prohibited from undertaking any work, solely or as part of a larger project, which would require the General Contractor to act as a specialty Contractor in any area in which the General Contractor has no license.

Bidders are solely responsible to review the project requirements, determine the appropriate licenses required, and ensure that they possess and that the Subcontractor(s) listed in their OFFER FORM possess the necessary specialty licenses to perform the work for this project

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